

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A ladder assembly is specifically configured to be attached to an upright tailgate of a vehicle in a manner facilitating the ingress and egress of personnel into and out of such a vehicle while the tailgate remains in its upright position. The ladder assembly preferably comprises an attachment portion having a pair of clamps that allow the ladder assembly to be firmly attached to tailgates of differing thickness. The ladder assembly also preferably comprises a ladder portion that can be both folded and selectively inclined.